03272 Practitioner's Docket No. **PATENT** IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re application of: Leonard E. Salemi Application No.: Group No.: Filed: Examiner: Article Stowage System For: **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL BECAUSE OF APPLICANT'S AGE (37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c) AND M.P.E.P. § 708.02 IV) NOTE: See M.P.E.P. § 708.02, 7th ed. Applicant hereby petitions to make this application special because applicant is over 65 years of age. As a showing of this fact, accompanying this petition is: (check one of the following) applicant's birth certificate. a declaration by the applicant that he/she is over 65 years of age. No fee is required with this petition, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c).

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